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For: **METHODS OF PRODUCING CARBON
NANOTUBES USING PEPTIDE OR
NUCLEIC ACID MICROPATTERNING**

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated May 17, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.